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IN RE APPLICATION OF: **BERNARD P.J. THIERS**

CONFIRMATION NO. 2382

SERIAL NO.: 10/535,188

GROUP ART UNIT: 1773

FILED: May 17, 2005

EXAMINER: Kiliman, L.B.

FOR: ANTISTATIC LAYERED PANEL AND METHOD  
OF ITS MANUFACTURE

ATTY. REFERENCE: THIE3019/JEK/JJC

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

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Fee Basis	Number of Claims After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity	Full Fee
Total Claims	19	- 20 <sup>1</sup>	= 0 <sup>3</sup>	× \$ 25 =	× \$ 50 =
Independent Claims	3	- 3 <sup>2</sup>	= 0 <sup>3</sup>	× \$100 =	× \$ 200 =
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$180 =	+ \$360 =
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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 02-0200**.
- ☐ Also enclosed is/are:

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**PATENT**

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<b>For:</b>	<b>ANTISTATIC LAYERED PANEL AND METHOD OF ITS MANUFACTURE</b>		

**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This reply is supplemental to the amendment previously filed on February 9, 2007 in the above-identified application in response to the Office action dated November 14, 2006.

In addition, this amendment corrects a supplemental amendment that was filed on February 22, 2007 by indicating that the new claims 41-50 submitted in the amendment of February 9 are now identified as being previously presented in view of their previous submission in the amendment of February 9, as advised by the legal instruments examiner for art group 1700. This reply properly cancels claims 35-38, and further identifies claims 41-50 as being "previously presented" in the Amendment to the Claims.

This is responsive to the Office action dated November 14, 2006 in the above application wherein the pending claims were finally rejected. A Request for Continued Examination is submitted herewith effectively removing the finality of the current rejection. In view of the following amendments and remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.